

March 2021



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MAPITT App!

Last month we told you that MAPITT was coming for both Google Play and Apple App Store. It is now available on both! You can download it from the app stores, or go to our website www.doverkentmpo.org and download it there. This app is an easy way to document and pass along any transportation issues you may find or have in Kent County. Please download it today, so you will have it when you need it in the future!

Seeking Intern

The MPO is seeking an intern to provide professional and technical support services to transportation planning projects during FY22. A full description is available on our website. Deadline for applications is April 5, 2021. Please submit a letter of interest along with resume to: james.galvin@doverkentmpo.org

Goodbye Cathy

Cathy Samardza is retiring after 21 years of service to the Dover/Kent County MPO. She is planning to continue to volunteer with a cat rescue and walk her dogs. The entire staff is sorry to see her go, but wishes her great happiness in the next great adventure of her life!

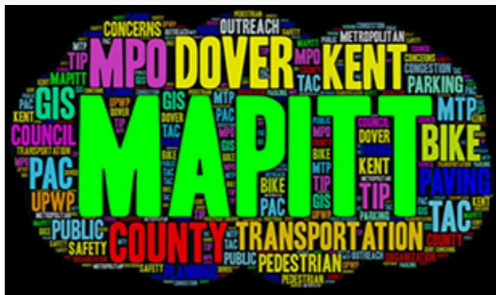


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Celebrates
#womenshistory

SALLY MURPHY

Sally Murphy, in 1974, became the first woman to graduate Army aviation school and become a helicopter pilot. Born January 11, 1949 in Kansas. She received a Masters degree in History from Kansas State College of Pittsburg. Sally joined the Army one month later in 1972 and attended Military Intelligence School. Once she completed MIS, the Army opened up Aviation School to women to which she entered. She graduated and began flying, first planes, then the Huey helicopter. She went on later to command units. Sally retired in 1999 after 27 years as a colonel.

"I was the only woman in Army Aviation School in the early 70s and if told you I did not have problems with a few people, I would not be truthful, but things were changing and with the Vietnam War winding down, the Army needed to fill some voids. There were some tough times but it made me stronger. The Army is a family and there was always someone giving me encouragement and ready to assist me anytime I needed help."



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METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION



Upcoming Meetings:

PAC - April 8, 6pm

TAC - April 13, 10am

Council - May 5, 3pm



The MPO Council

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City of Dover

Michael J Petit de Mange

Vice-Chairman

(For President Terry Pepper)

Kent County Levy Court

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Town of Magnolia

(for Kent County Municipalities)

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Delaware Transit Corp

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Delaware Dept of Transportation

Kimberly Chesser

Dept of Homeland Security

(For Governor John Carney)

The MPO Staff

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Principal Planner: Jim Galvin

GIS Planner: Mike Ward

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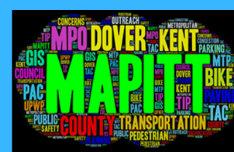
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All meetings are
currently virtual -
But still open to
the Public!



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register for one of our meetings!



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